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In re application of: Royce D. Jordan, Jr.
Application No.: 09/965,783
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WIRELESS NETWORK

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DECLARATION

STATEMENT BY ATTORNEY

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LETTER ACCOMPANYING RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222

April 30, 2002

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

A first Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was mailed on October 31, 2001 in connection with the above-identified application (the "First Notice"). A copy of the First Notice is enclosed. In addition to calling for the Oath or Declaration, the First Notice required Applicant to submit substitute drawings. On December 19, 2001, Applicant submitted substitute drawings which prompted the PTO to mail a Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) on January 4, 2002. A copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply is also enclosed.

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Applicant is herewith submitting the requisite Declaration along with a request for extension of time and a check for the appropriate fees. Also accompanying the Declaration and above-mentioned documents are:

Completion of Filing Requirements – Nonprovisional Application;

Statement by Attorney; and

Check payable to the PTO.

Applicant submits that these documents are fully responsive to the First Notice.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date Mailed: 01/04/2002

NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 12/18/2001 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 10/31/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The required items noted below SHOULD be filed along with any items required above. The filing date of this nonprovisional application will be the date of receipt of the items required above.

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- Late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 was not received.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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